

**PROPERTY OWNERS  
SEEK WIDENING OF  
MISSION-SAN JOSE**

At a short and snappy session of the City Council held at the City Hall last Monday evening, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company presented plans for service poles on Partridge Lane, and after investigation the plans were approved.

A petition signed by a number of property owners along Mission street and San Jose avenue, asking the board to take steps toward widening these streets was presented, and after some discussion a motion prevailed asking for a meeting with the San Francisco board of supervisors, to learn if any move has been made in this direction on the San Francisco side of the line.

A request from the Pacific Gas and Electric Company for permission to cut several streets to install a main gas supply line was returned for further corrections and re-routing.

Maps for a new subdivision to be known as the Vista Marina Tract, along Hillside boulevard, with a 17-foot concrete lane in the rear for public use, was presented to the Council. As this will mean many new homes in that district, the board approved of the same.

The lighting committee reported many requests for lights and asked the residents to be patient for a time until the committee can check up on a new scheme of lights along Mission street.

The public pound committee announced that a clean-up of stray dogs will be made in a few days, under a new system, in conjunction with the poundmaster of South San Francisco.

The City Council was favored with a visit from our popular County Clerk, Mrs. Elizabeth M. Kneese, who attended the session with great interest and expressed her warm feeling for the people of Daly City in a few remarks that were well received.

**COMPANY NO. 4 MEMBERS  
ENJOY ANNUAL BANQUET**

Last Saturday evening the members of Company No. 4, Daly City Volunteer Fire Department, gave their annual party and banquet in their fire house on Peoria street. It was given in honor of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Company No. 4, whose members are the wives of the members of that fire company.

It was an affair that will long be remembered by all who were present, and much credit is due to the committee, composed of A. Fonseca, chairman, J. McGuinn, E. Cuneo, A. Vireno and Jeff Lee, for the splendid way they entertained the guests and the excellent dinner served.

Mrs. Annie Fonseca, who is the musician for the Ladies' Auxiliary, furnished the music for dancing. The Lancers, which proved such a success, was led by Mayor H. H. Smith.

Mrs. E. Oliotti, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary, and A. Fonseca favored the guests with some character dances, while Ernest Cuneo, the Caruso of Company No. 4, rendered several vocal solos.

At midnight a tempting chicken dinner was served. Captain Andrew Chestney in his able manner welcomed the guests and appointed Commissioner G. R. Augustien toastmaster for the evening.

The following enjoyed the evening: Mayor and Mrs. H. H. Smith, Fire Commissioner and Mrs. G. R. Augustien, Fire Chief and Mrs. J. J. Kennedy, Assistant Chief and Mrs. F. Hansen, Police Chief and Mrs. Jack Doyle, Captain and Mrs. A. Chestney, Lieutenant and Mrs. E. Cuneo, Secretary and Mrs. V. Fenstermacher, Marshal and Mrs. P. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. R. Foppiano, Mr. and Mrs. A. Vireno, Mr. and Mrs. E. Oliotti, Mrs. J. Viotti, Councilman A. J. Bodien, Charles Rodenberger, Jefferson Lee, H. T. Roff.

**CELEBRATE THE TWELFTH  
ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. R. Anderson, of 52 Risel street, celebrated the twelfth anniversary of their wedding at their home last Saturday evening. Games and dancing were enjoyed during the evening and at midnight a buffet luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Otto Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. V. Savely, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. B. Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. W. Delaney, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lyman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Merkel, Mrs. P. Hickey, Miss Ann Elxon, Miss Ruth Lynch, Miss Rose Manno, Miss Pauline Smith, Miss Nettie Carroll, Miss Agnes Maher, Miss Doris Maloney, Messrs. Jack Maloney, Jack McGee, Emmett Hayden, Bill Soper, Louis Druin.

**SPEAKERS DELIVER  
INSPIRING MESSAGE**

Last Sunday evening, at the Daly City Methodist church, Mr. A. L. Stockton, Mr. Kenneth MacLean and Mr. James Ferguson spoke upon the subject, "What the Community Expects of the Church."

Mr. Stockton reminded the large audience that when this community was first started, it sprang up overnight, by people who were burned out in the great fire in San Francisco in 1906. They moved into tents and slept by the road side, and the first Sunday that they were here they held a church service. It is not the building, but the atmosphere created that makes the church.

"Some of you may think that the church does not owe anything to the community, that it belongs solely to the members who contribute directly to its support. Church property is exempt from taxation, so that everyone in the community pays something directly or indirectly, to the support of the church." So it was obligated to serve the community.

Talking of public opinion, he said: "Public opinion elects men to office; makes them honest or dishonest; makes and enforces the laws. Even the eighteenth amendment was placed there by public opinion and will be kept there by public opinion."

"What does the community expect of the church? We expect their members to be good citizens. We expect their members to be physically, mentally and morally clean. We expect their members to help form public opinion."

Mr. Stockton's address was followed by and inspiring message by Mr. Arthur MacLean, in which he pointed out that the people of the community expects from the church just what it represents. It expects spiritual life; it expects comfort and sympathy and helpfulness in times of distress. The community expects the church to be the leader in all moral questions, for it has come to be the representative of goodness.

It was a most inspiring and interesting message, and was followed by Mr. James Ferguson, principal of Jefferson Union high school.

Mr. Ferguson's message was a very timely and instructive one. He traced the history of the church, saying that when Jesus was born into the world the Romans placed a heavier burden of taxation upon the people; oppression was the keynote of the day; so Christ organized the church to meet oppression and to establish a spiritual kingdom. He then traced the progress of the church, its relation to the Renaissance and finally to the separation of church and state.

"The church must keep pace with truth. It must quit its Modernist and Fundamentalist arguments. The Bible is not a book on science or astrology, but it is the inspired word of God. Finally the church must come back to the simple teachings of Jesus Christ."

**WILL DELIVER SECOND  
OF PRE-EASTER SERMONS**

"What the Church Expects of the Community" will be the subject to be discussed at the Daly City Methodist church on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. It will be the answer to the messages given last Sunday evening by Mr. A. L. Stockton, Mr. Kenneth MacLean and Mr. James Ferguson upon the subject, "What the Community Expects of the Church." This will be of interest to all. Mr. Jack Sanderson will play a special violin solo, accompanied by Mrs. Secour. Prof. T. Eugene Goudey will play for the entire service.

Sunday morning the pastor will preach the second of a series of Pre-Easter sermons. The subject will be "Channels of Power." You will enjoy this soul searching message. "Come, let us worship, in the house of the Lord."

Monday morning the preachers of the Methodist church as far south as Santa Cruz and as far north as Santa Rosa will be the guests of the Daly City Methodist church. The regular preachers' meeting will be held at 11 o'clock, and the address will be made by Dr. J. H. N. Williams, district superintendent of the Nevada Mission district. A luncheon will be served by the Ladies Aid Society at 12:30. Mrs. F. M. Chisholm, of San Francisco, will sing several solos. Also Mr. McGregor will favor us with several selections. They will be accompanied by Prof. T. Eugene Goudey.

The Friendly Indians will go to the State Armory, Sunday afternoon at 3:30, to rehearse for the big "Boys' Night" to be held at the San Francisco Civic Auditorium on March 9. All Friendly Indians are requested to report at the church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

ELLIOTT L. FISHER, Pastor.

**KEEP RELIABLE OFFICIALS ON THE JOB**

The voters of Daly City will go to the polls on Monday, April 9, to elect two City Councilmen, City Treasurer and a City Clerk. The men now holding these positions are candidates for re-election, and the Record believes that the best interests of the city will be served by their re-election to office. It is a wise plan to retain in office men who have proved their fitness for the position.

A. J. Bodien, candidate for re-election to the City Council, is a pioneer of Daly City, settling here 21 years ago, building one of the first homes in this district at that time. He has always taken an active part in the affairs of the city, being a member of the first improvement club and the first volunteer fire department, organized August 2, 1907, and is still an active member and Past Captain of the department. He has served as a member of the City Council for the last four years and has acted on many important committees. With great mechanical foresight, he has been very valuable in city planning and preparing for the city's future growth. Being chairman of the ordinance committee, he has fitted himself with a small private library of laws from all over the state. This has enabled the board to add a number of good ordinances.

Mr. Bodien is president of the board of directors of the Veteran Firemen's Association, Past President of Colma-Vista Grande Aerie, F. O. E., Past President of the Associated Aerie of San Mateo county and a past state officer.

Mr. Bodien has a good labor record, having been president for seven years of the Brass Workers' Union, and representing them in the Labor Council, Building Trades Council and Iron Trades Council, and has traveled East several times to represent the Coast at Eastern labor conventions. He also holds a card in the Machinist Union, Local No. 68.

Realizing the importance of proper environments for the young boys in our city, he has taken an active part in the Boy Scout movement, being troop commander of one of our local troops.

Mr. Bodien has for many years superintended one of the most enterprising machine shops and brass foundries in San Francisco.

Mr. Bodien is one of Daly City's live young men, who has always taken an active part in any good work for the advancement of this community. The announcement of his candidacy for re-election was received with gratification by a wide circle of friends, who predict his success in the coming election, as a reward for the faithful services rendered during the last four years.

Henry Sundermann is a candidate for re-election to the office of City Councilman. For many years Mr. Sundermann has been deeply interested in the public life of Daly City, and has always devoted his best efforts to the business of the Board of City Councilmen, and has been engaged in almost every movement appertaining to the progress of our community.

Henry Sundermann has served the city in more than one capacity most faithfully, and has proved his ability in various public positions of trust and responsibility, notably as City Fire Marshal and also as Chief of the Daly City Volunteer Fire Department. He has been a member of this department for many years, and enjoys the confidence and respect of its members. It may be said that he is a graduate of that department.

As City Councilman, Henry Sundermann has been for the past four years chairman of the finance committee and library committee. He is thoroughly familiar with all the routine which is involved in the conduct of the city's affairs.

Daly City needs men of Henry Sundermann's type, and from past experience has learned to appreciate correctly the value of his service to the community. It is, therefore, not only wise, but necessary, to elect him for another term.

**ALFRED S. HENLY PASSES  
AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS**

Alfred S. Henly, of 259 Los Banos avenue, passed away on Saturday at Community hospital, near Belmont, after a lingering illness. He was the husband of Annie C. Henly and stepfather of Arthur and Henry Cecil Marks and Mrs. Arthur Marks. He was a native of Philadelphia, Penn. He was a member of St. Paul's Lodge No. 2, Knights of Pythias. The funeral was held on Tuesday at 2:30 p. m., from his late residence. Interment was at Mount Olivet cemetery.

**HOSTESS AT SHOWER**

Mrs. C. J. Pettigrew was hostess at a stork shower on Friday evening of last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. David Johnston, of 6238 Mission street, in honor of her sister, Mrs. J. Baigalupi. Mrs. Baigalupi received many beautiful gifts. At midnight a luncheon was served to the following guests: Mesdames L. Scharetz, M. Gillies, K. Phelan, J. Johnson, K. Core, Bob Wall, D. Johnston, L. Shaw; Misses Marge O'Connor, Theresa O'Connor, Joey McDonald, Marie Shaw, Edna Phelan, Agnes Gillies, Bernice Gillies, Mary Phelan.

**YOU MUST REGISTER  
TO VOTE THIS YEAR**

Have you registered this year? Saturday, March 10, is the last day to register for the coming municipal elections which are to be held on April 9, in the different municipalities throughout the county. Everyone must re-register this year in order to vote at these elections.

County Clerk Elizabeth M. Kneese has appointed registration deputies throughout the county and is making every effort to have all voters in the municipalities registered in time to vote.

Register today if you have not done so. Remember the closing date is March 10.

The registration deputies in this section are as follows:  
Mrs. G. R. Augustien, 510 Evergreen avenue.  
Mrs. Margaret Fahey, 613 Bellevue avenue.

John J. Fahey, 6284 Mission street.  
Mrs. J. Hawkins, 139 Knowles avenue.

Mrs. Charles McKee, 79 Irvington street.

Chas. Shoup, 116 Miriam street.  
B. C. Ross, City Hall.  
Judge Ellis C. Johnson, City Hall.  
A. Stapanoni, Colma.  
E. A. Weisenburger, Lawndale.

**BOOST TAX RATE TO  
KEEP SCHOOLS OPEN**

The people of the San Mateo Union high school district are elated over the fact that their schools will not have to close on March 1. By a majority of about four to one the residents of the district on Monday voted an increase of 8 cents on their school tax to make up the \$87,000 deficit recently disclosed in the school funds. This deficit, and the investigation by a citizens' committee into its cause, resulted in the recent resignations of District Superintendent W. L. Glascock and Frank H. Thrall, clerk of the board of trustees.

The total vote to increase the school tax from 30 to 38 cents was 3,647 for the increase and 913 against the increase.

Meanwhile, it is pointed out, Superintendent Glascock will remain in office until his successor has been appointed by the board of trustees, and temporarily will administer the additional funds voted Monday.

Thomas H. Breeze, chairman of the citizens' committee which investigated the deficit and demanded Glascock's resignation, is quoted as saying that he could not predict the plans of the trustees in the naming of a successor to Glascock, or the ouster proceedings threatened against the four remaining members of the board. He said the citizens' committee has finished its work and is now dissolved, and the ouster proceedings were taken up by a committee appointed by the Burlingame Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. N. D. Morrison, chairman of the board of trustees, who remains in office with the other three members against whom ouster proceedings were threatened, said he was happy that the additional tax had been voted but gave no indication as to when a successor to Glascock would be appointed.

**INTERESTING EVENTS  
AT GRACE CHURCH**

The subject for next Sabbath evening at Grace Presbyterian church will be of more than usual importance to the public, "Shall Money Rule the World?" Come and let us see if we are a free people, or whether we are slaves more than the Egyptian in the time of Moses. We are promised some rare treat in music for this service, and if it surpasses the music of the last few Sabbath evenings, it will be fine indeed, as the vocal solo by Mae Swan last Sabbath evening was most inspiring and uplifting.

The reception given by the C. E. Society of Grace church to the Society of Ocean Avenue Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening passed even the fondest hopes. The attendance was fine and the one act play by five members of the Society was a pleasing hit, and then two readings given by Mr. Gifford Teal brought a happy climax to the evening; also the piano solos given by Misses Mildren Swan and Marcella Savage brought forth words of praise and commendation.

The Ladies of the Guild met at the church on Wednesday and held their annual election of officers, the following being chosen: Mrs. George E. Archer, president; Mrs. Brauns, vice-president; Mrs. Frank Alward, secretary; Mrs. Negle, assistant secretary; Mrs. Sadie Swan, treasurer.

The year's work was reviewed and all expressed their appreciation for the faithful co-operation and helpfulness both as to the membership and also to the public for the support and helpful service during the year.

The Ladies Guild will meet next Wednesday for sewing at the home of Mrs. Pilgrim, on the corner of Evergreen avenue and Frankfort street. All are invited.

The advance in the Kingdom of Christ today is only made on the knees and very few are willing to travel that way. Come, let us bow down and worship before Him.  
CHAS. H. GATCHELL, Minister.

**VICTIM OF FERRY TRAGEDY  
HAD RELATIVES IN DALY CITY**

J. W. Collins, of 521 Thirty-third street, Oakland, who was drowned when the ferry boat Peralta met with its unfortunate accident recently, was the husband of the niece of Mr. Frank Emery, of 568 Bellevue avenue, Daly City, and had a number of friends in Daly City. Mr. and Mrs. F. Emery feel keenly the tragic fate of Mr. Collins.

According to the reports of the accident, Mr. Collins was standing on the front of the lower deck of the boat, talking to two of his friends who worked with him for the Telephone Company, when the water swept over the boat, washing him into the bay. His body was recovered last Tuesday, being the only body of victims of the accident to be recovered at this writing.

**BODY OF MURDERED  
MAN DISCOVERED ON  
ROAD NEAR DALY CITY**

A baffling murder mystery confronts the police of San Francisco as the result of the mysterious disappearance and later the finding of the body of Fred Bettioni, aged 36, of San Francisco, in Guadalupe road, behind the Crocker hills in Daly City.

Bettioni, a well known North Beach figure, mysteriously vanished from the crowded vicinity of Columbus avenue and Broadway, San Francisco, at about 6:30 last Saturday night, while his wife waited for him in a restaurant about a block away.

His wife's frantic search for him availed nothing until shortly before midnight Nicholas Milasky, of 702 Vermont street, discovered his body while driving on the Guadalupe road. It lay in the gloom of a clump of eucalyptus trees, with two bullets in his head, one having entered behind an ear, and the other through the face near the right eye, while there was a deep gash on the chin. A .38 Lueger shell was lying by the body.

Milasky's story is that he was driving alone when he came upon the body. He said he remembered having passed an old touring car, moving in the opposite direction, just a few moments before his discovery.

Sheriff J. J. McGrath of San Mateo county, Constable S. A. Landini and Detective J. E. Dolan, who were soon at the place where the body was discovered, believe that Bettioni must have been enticed to enter and automobile on some pretext near Columbus avenue and Broadway. What happened after that they could only conjecture. But they considered it possible that Bettioni, once in the car, had been knocked unconscious by a blow on the chin with some instrument. He might have then been taken to the lonely road and dispatched with two shots after his body had been dumped on the ground.

The investigation by the San Mateo county officers convinced them that the crime had its inception in San Francisco county, and the case now rests with the San Francisco police department.

Examinations made by Deputy Coroner Luella Pepper and Dr. A. H. Rankin indicated that Bettioni had been beaten unconscious before he was shot to death.

According to Mrs. Bettioni, \$500 or \$600 in cash which Bettioni carried, and a diamond ring valued at \$700 were missing when the body was found.

The San Francisco police seem to be of the opinion that possibly robbery, but more probably one of those involved gang grudges into which even police can seldom penetrate, was the motive for the murder. Bettioni, the records reveal, was notorious some years ago as a dope peddler. In 1922 he was arrested with a large amount of narcotics in his automobile, after Narcotic Agent Stanley Halstead had shot him in the arm when he attempted to escape.

**ST. MAXIMUS PARISH NOTES**

Everything is in readiness for the grand entertainment and dance to be given in the Daly City Auditorium on the evening of March 17. Eddie Healy, of the South of Market Boys, has consented to be the master of ceremonies for the evening. Eddie is known to every man, woman and child in San Francisco, and the people of Daly City are in for a real treat. He has promised several new features for the evening's enjoyment.

It was with sorrow that we heard of the death of Walter Kohmann. A requiem high mass was celebrated for the repose of his soul last Tuesday. The altar boys served the mass and acted as pallbearers. All accompanied the remains to Holy Cross cemetery for the last services. It was a touching tribute to one who had been a friend and fellow altar boy.

Barbara Charmain Stout, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stout, of Irvington street, was baptized in the church last Sunday.

The members of the St. Maximus Girls' club are requested to attend a special meeting next Monday night, March 5, in the parish hall.

**ENJOYABLE BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Little Violet Bullo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bullo, celebrated her birthday last Saturday afternoon, having as her guests several of her little friends. A delightful afternoon was spent playing games, after which tempting refreshments were served. The table was prettily decorated in pink and blue and the birthday cake with its four candles delighted the youngsters. Those present were: Bettie Brewer, Frank Brewer, Walter Brewer, Bobbie Burns, Gloria Gilli, Minton Piro, Marion Hansen, Vivian Bullo, Lorraine Chicocca.



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## NOTICE OF TIME APPOINTED FOR PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

Probate—No. 4442.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN DILLON, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Thursday, the 15th day of March, A. D. 1928, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Court Room—Probate—of said Court, at the County of San Mateo, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said John Dillon, deceased, and for hearing the application of Julia Martin for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon.

Dated February 20, A. D. 1928.

(SEAL)

ELIZABETH M. KNEESE, Clerk.

By MURA B. STILLESSEN, Deputy Clerk.

Endorsed: Filed February 20, 1928.

W. H. Clay, Attorney for Petitioner, 600-603 Pacific Building, San Francisco, California.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matter of the Estate of John J. O'Brien, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the estate of John J. O'Brien, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at the office of the Daily City Record, 600-603 Pacific Building, San Francisco, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 2nd day of February, A. D. 1928.

ELIZABETH O'BRIEN, Administratrix.

W. H. Clay, Attorney for Administratrix, 600-603 Pacific Building, San Francisco, California.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 4465.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matter of the Estate of ELLEN McGINNEY, also known as ELLAN McGINNEY, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the will annexed of the estate of Ellen McGinney, also known as ELLAN McGinney, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at the office of the National Bank Building, Second Avenue and "B" Street, San Mateo, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated the 16th day of February, 1928.

Administratrix with the Will Annexed of the Estate of Ellen McGinney, also known as ELLAN McGinney, Deceased.

J. E. McCurdy, Attorney for said Administratrix with the Will Annexed, San Mateo, California.

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## INTERESTING NOTES

Among Canadian banks the Royal Bank of Canada ranks highest in capital, assets and profits, the latter item amounting to \$5,370,145 during its last fiscal year.

A party of about 80 farmers, representing every province of Canada, recently arrived in England on a tour of that country and Europe to study intensive farming methods.

Archaeologists have been invited to watch for relics of antiquity which may be unearthed during the construction of 22 miles of subways in Rome.

Army and Navy officers serving as military attaches of the White House in Washington must be single men.

Orders have been placed by the Canadian Pacific Railway for \$3,000,000 worth of equipment, including 585 cars of various types.

Telephone girls in Hull, England have formed the Wrong Number dancing club.

China now furnishes only about 20 per cent of the world's tea, although at one time it supplied nearly 80 per cent.

Permalloy, a highly responsive magnetic alloy of nickel and iron, is proving valuable in the manufacture of telephone equipment.

A footprint bureau has been opened in Colombo, Ceylon, for identifying native criminals.

A Russian company will manufacture bicycles entirely of wood after a model made by a young peasant.

Yarn so fine that a pound of it would reach 4,000 miles has been produced by a factory in Manchester, England.

Heavy cotton fabric is being tried as a material for curb and road markers.

Ultra-violet apparatus for detecting spurious diamonds and fake oil paintings has been developed.

Owing to the depletion of fish in Lake Erie, a conference was recently held to devise means of conservation.

During three months ending with January the Ontario government paid out approximately \$50,000 in bounties for the destruction of 3,310 wolves.

Telephone conversations may now be held between St. Louis and Brussels, Belgium, at \$5 for the first three minutes.

Gilbert D. Mathewson, father of the late famed pitcher Christy Mathewson, died at Scranton, Pa., at the age of 80. He served as a drummer boy in the Civil war.

Canada may have a national director of electricity if a proposal made in the Dominion parliament be adopted.

The railroad journey between Vienna and Venice takes 18 hours, but can be made by airplane over the mountains in three hours.

Ontario's manufactured products now reach a total of more than a billion and a half dollars annually, industrial development having been greatly assisted by the use of water-power.

A German aviator named Fieser recently flew upside down for 10 minutes and 58 seconds, establishing a new world's record.

Comparatively few farmers in Spain own as much as 10 acres of land.

Drs. Woolheim and Brandt of Berlin have successfully reduced high blood pressures by the injection of water into the veins of patients.

Electrically heated foot plates for traffic policemen to stand on in cold weather have been installed in Riga.

Preparing skins of crocodiles for use in bookbinding and other leather work has become an important industry in Madagascar.

The United States signal corps has invented a dial radiophone which facilitates aviators in talking with persons on the ground.

For treating miners' ailments a special violet-ray clinic has been established at Sherwood colliery, near Mansfield, England.

Successful experiments in nourishing patients by absorption of fats and sugar through the skin are reported by Dr. Stejskal of Vienna.

A suit made of woven metal has been produced which is said to be not uncomfortable and would last a lifetime.

Father Gabriel Richard, a delegate from the Territory of Michigan in the early days of the last century, was the only Catholic priest who ever sat in Congress.

## CONGRESS TALKS

So far, the present session of Congress has been devoted principally to talk. And in this instance talk is not cheap. At least not to the taxpayers.

Although Congress has been in session since December 5, as this is written not a single measure of importance has been passed and sent to the president for signature.

Among the bills which have been introduced are those dealing with flood control, farm relief, railroad consolidation, naval expansion, radio regulation, merchant marine, revenue, Muscle Shoals and other matters of general interest, only one of which has been voted on by either house.

Instead, the time of Congress, particularly the Senate, has been devoted to discussions of politics, religion, personalities and everything under the sun except the public business.

But this is presidential year, and wind-jamming is perhaps all that can be expected under the circumstances.

## A CRITIC FOOLED

That minor personal habits have no important bearing upon one's ability is illustrated by a little joke that the late General Goethals, builder of the Panama Canal, was fond of telling on himself.

Long before the now ubiquitous "coffin nails" became popular, the general became an inveterate cigarette smoker. He also parted his hair in the middle.

When Goethals, then a major, was assigned to the difficult task of building the canal in 1907, after other eminent engineers had failed, a Washington newspaper editor commented unfavorably on his selection for the job. After recounting the failures of others to accomplish the task, the newspaper said:

"And what in heaven's name can we expect of a man who parts his hair in the middle and smokes cigarettes?"

Yet Goethals did build the canal, although he continued to part his hair in the middle and smoke cigarettes as long as he lived.

## A TEMPORARY DIVORCE

While the idea of Mr. and Mrs. Florian Hammer, of Cleveland, regarding getting a divorce but remaining friends is not new, their experiment had a rather unusual sequel. Deciding that they could no longer live as man and wife in happiness, they agreed to secure a divorce, but to remain in their \$40,000 home, she as manager of the house, and he as merely a boarder. At the end of thirty days they felt the urge to make up and have the divorce set aside. Seeking the judge who had made the decree, they informed him of their desire. They were pleasantly surprised to be informed that the judge had never signed the record, having suspected how matters would turn out, consequently they had not been legally divorced at all.

There are probably many other couples who might save their matrimonial bark from shipwreck by a temporary severance of relations by mutual consent, instead of rushing to the divorce court on slight provocation.

## THE THIRD TERM

Notwithstanding the fact that President Coolidge has announced that he does not choose to run in 1928, Senator Robert M. La Follette, Jr., of Wisconsin, has introduced a resolution which, if passed, would place the Senate on record as being against more than two terms in the presidency for an incumbent.

The resolution reads: "Resolved, that it is the sense of the Senate that the precedent established by Washington and other presidents of the United States in retiring from the presidential office after their second term has become, by universal concurrence, a part of our republican system of government, and that any departure from this time-honored custom would be unwise, unpatriotic, and fraught with peril to our free institutions. And be it further resolved, that the Senate commends the observance of this precedent by the president."

That fellow who killed another for reading movie titles aloud will hardly be able to make a convincing insanity plea, but my get off on the ground of justifiable homicide.

It may be, as a church census reports, that 90 per cent of Chicago people are religious, but we suspect that a good many of those counted are not overworking themselves.

The trouble with that "charm school" for women which recently failed seems to have been that the pupils were not furnished any raw material to work on.

Mayor Jimmy Walker of New York has gone on the water wagon. But he hastens to explain that it is for digestive and not moral reasons.

An Indiana woman had a cracked skull four years before finding it out. Still, some have cracked brains a lifetime and never find it out.

The Supreme Court has decided that a train has the right of way over its tracks. But a lot of automobile drivers are still unconvinced.

A professor finds that a girl baby triples her weight during her first year. And tries to halve it during her fortieth.

A bigamist was recently caught when his voice was recognized over the radio. Well, ours frequently squeals on us.

## ABOUT WOMEN

Mrs. W. Bull of Winnipeg, Man., in the costume of a Turkish princess, has won eleven first prizes at various masquerade functions attended during the last few months.

Miss Cecelia Burmeister of Chicago broke all similar records by writing 2,094 checks on a typewriter in an hour.

Miss Myrtle Cook of Toronto won the 50-yard sprint at the Millrose athletic games in New York, while Miss Kay Flanagan, also from Toronto, ran second.

Miss Hatsui Yuasa, Japanese soprano, is a current favorite of the London stage and concert platform.

Mrs. Sophia Maul, who recently died in Cincinnati at the age of 101, had lived in America 76 years without learning to speak English.

Miss Elizabeth Scott of Bourne-mouth, England, won first prize for her design of the proposed Shakespeare memorial theatre at Stratford-on-Avon.

Miss Lillian Copeland, student at the University of California, who holds the American women's records for the javelin throw, shotput and discus throw, will enter the Olympic contests in Holland next July.

Miss Dorang, a young French woman, recently rode from Paris to Berlin and back, using a side-saddle.

Miss Grace Moore of Jellico, Tenn., is the latest young American prima donna to make a successful debut with the Metropolitan Opera Company in New York.

Miss Mary Anderson, chief of the women's bureau in Washington, declares that every girl should have business training.

Miss Mary Curry teaches table manners and other matters pertaining to etiquette to the co-eds of Ohio Wesleyan University.

Miss Lizzie Akers of Bellwood, Pa., has been county correspondent of the Altoona Tribune for 24 years.

Mrs. Anna Greaves of Knottingley, England, is the inventor of artificial building stone of great merit, which costs only about one-third as much as natural stone.

Miss Cecil Chittendon is in charge of the government employment service in Washington, which last year found jobs for about 30,000 persons.

## BOYS AND GIRLS

Clifford Hill, 9, and Alex Rank, 11, plunged off a 100-foot cliff, while sleighing near Toronto, but landed in a snow bank and were only slightly bruised.

American school children will send hundreds of "friendship school bags" to Mexican children, following the sending of "good-will dolls" to Japanese youngsters last year.

Nathan Platt, schoolboy violinist of Minneapolis, will appear as soloist with the symphony orchestra of that city in March.

Commander Byrd has offered to take a Boy Scout with him on his South Pole expedition and the one to go will be selected by the national council.

Sidney Wall, 7-year-old crippled boy of Bermuda, traveled 4,000 miles alone to Alton, England for treatment.

Marie Louise Varnet, a young girl of Paris, won the title of the speediest sewing girl in France.

Henry Clutcher, aged 10, of Smith Center, Kansas, threw his overcoat over the head of a sleeping wolf and struggled with the beast until help came, afterward selling it alive for \$4.90.

David Quantrell, 5, caused a passenger train out of Kansas City to be held 21 minutes until a doctor had treated him for croup.

Alice and Wilamitta Keck won cups in a tennis event for children under 13 at Pasadena, Cal.

The Ballila, a Fascist boys' organization in Italy, named for the boy hero, Ballila, who gave the signal for the revolt against Austria in 1848, now has a membership of over 300,000.

Miss Hildegrade Schwinghammer, a school girl of Albany, Minn., won a nail-driving contest by neatly driving 10 nails in 44 seconds.

Joe C. Jones of Augusta, Ga., a crippled boy who works while sitting in his wheel chair, has attracted international attention through his artistic silhouettes cut from black paper.

The American Army's newest 3-inch anti-aircraft gun may be towed by an ordinary motor truck and employed from traveling position in readiness for firing in about 15 minutes.

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## CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

The weirdest verdict in the history of California jurisprudence was handed down one day last week in the case of the six convicts charged with the murder of Ray Singleton, Folsom guard, slain during the Thanksgiving riot. The jury found all six men guilty of murder in the first degree and fixed the penalty as life imprisonment.

The 1928 convention of the California Real Estate Association will be held in Sacramento, according to an announcement by Glenn D. Willaman, association secretary. The meeting has been set for the week of October 8 to 12.

Unless you submit proof that you have filed your application for 1928 automobile license plates you now are subject to having your car impounded until you have forwarded your application and double fee required—if you still are using 1927 plates. This is the announcement by Frank G. Snook, chief of the division of motor vehicles, who has notified traffic officers to stop every car still carrying 1927 plates.

The California Congress of Religious Education will meet in San Francisco March 15 to 20. Some of the meetings will be held in Native Sons' hall and others in the First Congregational church. Dr. Herman F. Swartz, president of the Pacific School of Religion, will preside. Dr. Miles Fisher, associate pastor of the First Congregational church of Berkeley, is secretary in charge of arrangements.

Bureaus of the State division of Motor Vehicles for convenience of tourists and law enforcement are to be established immediately at all border points where interstate highways enter California. It was announced a few days ago by Frank G. Snook, division chief. This step for better service to tourists in California was taken, following a conference at the last meeting of Governor C. C. Young's cabinet, on instructions given Snook by Alexander R. Heron, State director of finance.

Actual construction work upon the North Fork highway, authorized last week by the California highway commission, will be under way by July 1, with convict camps established at each end of the road. Bert B. Meek, state director of public works, announced a few days ago. Location survey parties will be placed in the field at once, he said. The two convict camps will contain approximately 160 men. Initial construction costs and expenditures for equipment will be made from the third State highway bond issued of \$40,000,000.

Gov. Hartley of Olympia, Wash., believes the State of California sends too many officers to Washington to bring back its escaped criminals. During a Capitol committee meeting last week extradition papers were brought in for the Governor to approve. They've got three big huskies out there in front to take back two little fellows to California," he told the committee members. "Those fellows like to travel. There is a steady traffic between here and there. It's a poor day if we don't have one. Our parole officer brought back seven men from California, and they need three big fellows to take two little chaps back.

Seeking to recover \$115,931.40 in taxes which it contends was paid to the State under protest, the Anglo and London-Paris National Bank last week filed suit for that amount against State Treasurer Charles G. Johnson in Superior Court. The action followed 24 hours after an identical suit had been filed by the Bank of Italy National Trust Saving Association for \$355,386.80 in protested taxes. As in the Bank of Italy suit, that registered last week contended that because the complainant bank is a national one, a state cannot subject it to taxes unless given permission by Congress to do so.

Public utility corporations, farm bloc leaders, business representatives and all other Californians interested in tax matters will be given an opportunity to present their views on readjustment of the State taxation system at four public hearings to be conducted by the State Tax Commission within the next month. Irving Martin, commission president, announced the hearing as follows: Sacramento Valley and Northern California hearing, at Sacramento, March 1 and 3, or longer is necessary Central California and San Francisco Metropolitan Area hearing, at San Francisco, March 6th, through 10th, if necessary. San Joaquin Valley hearing, at Fresno, March 12. Southern California and Los Angeles District hearing, at Los Angeles, March 13 through 17 if necessary.

California's timber, brush, grass and grain fire losses for 1927 totaled \$1,133,244, according to a joint report issued a few days ago by State Forester M. B. Pratt and United States District Forester S. B. Shaw. The total is based on reports from Federal, State, county and private fire rangers. The loss was distributed as follows: State-protected area, \$574,529; national forests guarded by the forest service, \$133,210; districts protected by counties and associations under co-operative agreements, \$314,938; other co-operative agencies, \$303,567; unprotected areas, \$110,257.

## PENNSY OUTFITS ARE SUCCESSFUL

Ball Players Won Quadrangular Cup Second Time.

University of Pennsylvania athletic teams met with a fair amount of success during the year 1927, according to the records of the 16 varsity teams in the field. One championship was won, the Red and Blue baseball players gaining the quadrangular cup for the second time in the three years that the trophy was contested for.

The baseball team had one of the most successful campaigns ever experienced by a Pennsylvania nine. Under the tutelage of Dr. Walter Carss it triumphed in twenty games, lost five and tied one.

During 1927 fourteen Pennsylvania teams won ninety-four dual contests, lost seventy-one and tied three for an average of .569 plus. This record excludes the performances of the track and crew, most of whose engagements were against more than one opponent. The football team won six contests, four of them with major opponents. During its very difficult schedule it defeated Brown, Harvard, Columbia and Cornell, in addition to Franklin and Marshall and Swarthmore, and lost to Penn State, Navy and Chicago.

The 1926-27 basketball team triumphed in sixteen of its twenty-six struggles. Victories over Syracuse, Navy, Lafayette, Penn State and Dartmouth were highlights of the season. The team finished in a tie for third place in the Eastern Intercollegiate league.

## Chicago May Be Site of Olympic Games in 1933

Chicago may be the site of the Olympic games in 1933 as a feature of the world's fair if negotiations started recently prove successful. Charles S. Peterson, city treasurer and vice president of the fair committee, is the man responsible for the idea. He has just recently sent a letter to Sigfrid Edstrom, manager of the Olympic games committee, which gives many reasons why Chicago would be suitable for the games.

It is possible that Edstrom will consider the plan feasible and come here to make a final decision on the selection of Chicago for the Olympics, or that he will ask that a committee be sent to him to discuss the proposal. The next Olympic games are to be held this year, and as they are scheduled to be staged every four years, the games following this year's would be booked for 1932. Therefore, it would be necessary to postpone them for one year, so that they might be held in conjunction with the fair at Chicago in 1933.

## Water Legs Are Needed for Cycling on Channel

Rhythmic leg motion is the most difficult requirement in propelling the hydrocycle of Rene Savard, French "flying fish."

Savard, who intends to pedal the craft across the English channel, has been practicing a leg motion to balance the movement of the waters, in order to develop the sort of pedaling style a bicyclist would need if the earth moved out from under him in unexpected twists and jerks.

The hydrocycle built by Savard is a water bicycle, propelled by two paddle wheels.

## Trojan Ball Squad Turns Out Strong

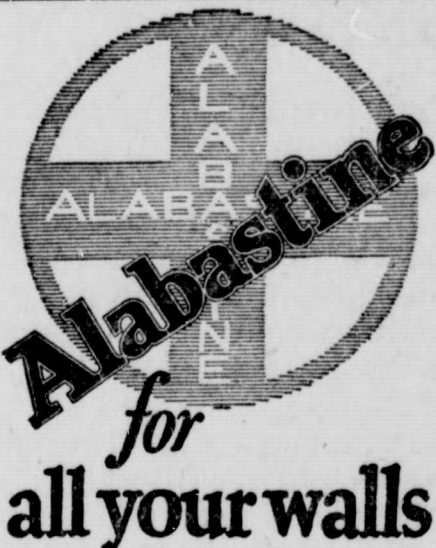
Baseball on Bovard field of the University of Southern California is getting to be a big business, with over 60 men reporting regularly. Coach "Wahoo" Sam Crawford, former Detroit fence-buster, believes that prospects are fairly favorable for a good showing in the California Intercollegiate league.

Last year the Trojans took second to St. Mary's college. The nine will leave Los Angeles on May 8 for a six weeks' trip to Japan, Korea and Hawaii. Fifteen players will be taken.

## Out for Olympics



The photograph shows Clifford "Biff" Hoffman, winner of the discus event at the Intercollegiate 4-A meet in Philadelphia in 1927 with a distance of 150 feet 7 inches, who was chosen by Dan Ferris, secretary-treasurer of the A. A. U., as discus thrower on the All-American Track team. Hoffman is also one of the outstanding candidates for the Olympic team.



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His Son—But, papa, what did they need the rest of the army for?—London Answers.

British scientists have succeeded in making the hormone of the thyroid gland synthetically from coal tar products and iodine.

## Poland Honors Great Writer and Patriot

Waclaw Sieroszewski, to whom the city of Warsaw has granted a liberal monetary award in acknowledgment of his literary talent and in recognition of his merits as a patriotic citizen, is perhaps the most distinguished of living Polish writers. His life has been one of extraordinary interest and adventure. Sieroszewski came of a family of country gentry distinguished for their patriotism. The insurrection of 1863 completely ruined them, and the boy Wacław was brought up by relatives. When scarcely of age he became involved in political intrigue and was banished by the Russians to Siberia, whence he twice tried to escape. He was then banished to Kolymok on the edge of the forests, which gave the material for several of his finest stories. Returning to Poland at the time of the Japanese-Russian war, he was again arrested for participation in a revolutionary movement, but was enabled to escape abroad.

## Money From Walrus Tusks

For centuries before white men came Eskimos used only the blubber of the walrus they killed. The tusks and other parts of the animals were piled up in great heaps of refuse. In time everything but the bones and tusks rotted away. In late years the tusks of freshly killed walrus have been bought by American and Canadian traders for ivory. Then the Eskimos began digging up the tusks from the dumping grounds. They are still in perfect condition. The supply of these old tusks seems inexhaustible and the Eskimos are getting rich salvaging them.—Capper's Weekly.

## Page Miss Venus

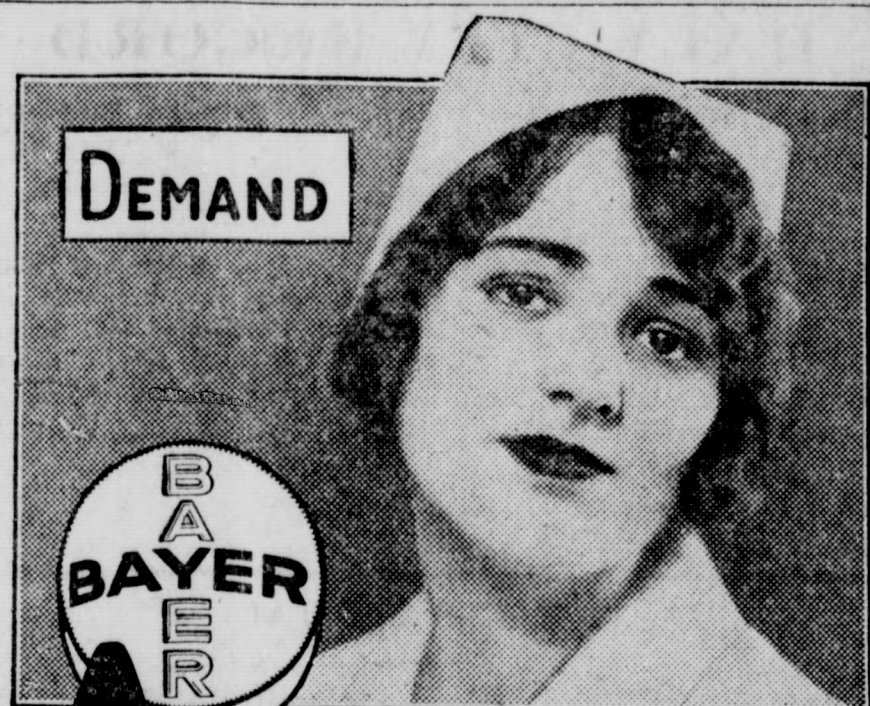
"Yes, dearie, Irving Thalberg practically promised me the part of Venus in that dream sequence in 'Hell's Paradise,' and then that research editor, or whatever you call him, steps up and says:

"She can't play Venus—she's got a vaccination mark on her arm." Can you beat it?"

"It just proves what I always says, honey. These high brows is goin' to ruin the picture game."—Los Angeles Times.

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## There Are Some

"I don't see why Alice should be unhappy, she can run things to please herself."

"True, but she's so hard to please that she can't ever please herself."—Boston Transcript.

## Vegetable Extract Latest

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## IT TAKES CAPITAL

It is impossible to grasp the magnitude of our leading industries, such as railroads, steel, automobiles, electricity, oil, and the like. The immense amount of capital required in carrying on their operations is beyond our power to visualize.

An illustration of this is seen in the construction of oil and gas pipe lines leading from the new fields in the Texas Panhandle, where approximately 2,000 miles of 10 to 20-inch lines were laid during the past year, at a cost of \$100,000,000. Another line for which plans have been completed will extend from the Panhandle to Kansas City, and still others are in contemplation.

When to the cost of these pipe lines is added the enormous sums spent in drilling the wells, with the expensive equipment and large amount of labor required, the total capital that is utilized in developing this one field alone has already reached a staggering sum. Yet the investments necessary in the development of the larger fields of California and Oklahoma have been much greater.

This illustrates the fact that without immense blocks of capital available for these gigantic enterprises it would be impossible for the industry to supply the ten billion gallons of gasoline required to operate the motor vehicles and other motorized equipment.

Whatever may be its failings, it must be recognized that "big business" is an indispensable factor in our present civilization. To carry on the necessary operations to supply the needs of the people takes capital—and lots of it.

## THE CHILDREN'S POET

Eugene Field's love for children and his beautiful poems of childhood are recalled by news that a memorial such as he might have chosen is to be established near Chicago in his name. It will be the Eugene Field Memorial Cemetery for poor children.

Although a sophisticated man of the world, with a touch of that cynicism which so often characterizes the satirist, Field's tender and sympathetic heart was revealed in his charming childhood poems, among which "Little Boy Blue" is perhaps the best known and best loved.

Field was the first journalistic "columnist" to win fame, his "Sharps and Flats" column in the Chicago Daily News having gained for him a high reputation as a humorist and keen observer of life in its various phases. After drifting about among newspapers of the middle west for several years, Field joined the News in 1888 and remained with that paper until his death in 1895.

But it is as "the children's poet" that he will be longest remembered, and it is fitting that the weary bodies of unfortunate children may find rest in a beautiful cemetery which bears his name.

## COST OF RED TAPE

Income tax from more than two million persons in the United States costs the government more to collect it than their total tax amounts to, according to a statement made by representatives of a national business women's organization to a committee of Congress recently.

It was declared that while these taxpayers paid an average of only \$2.23, the handling of their returns and other administrative expenses involved amounted to an average of \$2.50.

The same situation exists with respect to thousands of small taxpayers' returns which are sent back for investigation and revision by officials in the field. Even when an error is found which yields a small sum, the cost of handling the matter results in a net loss to the government. An actual case will illustrate:

In making his return, a small income taxpayer included in his expense an item incident to the removal of his plant from one building to another. Under the law such an expense is not deductible. A deputy collector spent part of two days "investigating" the return; the taxpayer had to make two visits to the deputy's office to submit his books and make explanations; several typewritten pages were required in making up an official report, the net result of all which was the collection of \$6.76 additional tax. The time and labor involved in the "investigation" by all concerned must have been worth at least \$25.

It does seem that there might be a simplification of income tax procedure which would eliminate much of the costly red tape which now surrounds it. But it is perhaps too much to hope that anything of the kind will be done.

## IS MARS SIGNALLING?

That inhabitants of Mars really exist and are trying to signal the earth is suggested by no less an authority than Professor William Henry Pickering, the noted astronomer, who has made a special study of the ruddy planet.

This belief has been held by many astronomers, owing to the definite geometrical figures which have appeared on the surface of Mars at various times during the last fifty years. The first to be observed was a cross within a circle, 900 miles in diameter; the next an irregular circular figure; then a pentagon with markings radiating from the center. In 1907 a perfect five-pointed star 1,100 miles in diameter was observed, and finally, in 1924, a star 1,600 miles across appeared, this being the last time the planet was in a favorable position for close observation.

The idea that Mars may be inhabited by a race of superior intelligence, with telescopes powerful enough to observe our movements, and trying to establish communication with us, is fascinating. Strange radio signals, otherwise unaccounted for, have been suggested as coming from our celestial neighbor. Whether this be true or not, radio may possibly in time supply the key to unlock the hidden truth, if there is really life on Mars.

## CANADIANS AT STUDY

According to recent official reports, Canada is not permitting the remoteness of outlying settlements to interfere with its program of education for all the people.

For those located far from regularly established schools a system of correspondence instruction is being developed, which gives promise of securing the most beneficial results. It is estimated that 25 per cent of the population of the provinces of Manitoba is pursuing studies, either by personal attendance at schools or by the correspondence method. In one mail course established in the province of Saskatchewan two years ago last fall, 247 pupils are now enrolled.

Educators long ago recognized and began to make use of the correspondence method of instruction, which has been of untold benefit to many thousands of students, of widely varying ages. The employment of this method by the educational authorities of the Dominion illustrates a most commendable and beneficial policy.

## ODD NATURE FAKES

In spite of the general spread of knowledge, many myths concerning the habits of animals are still believed, and the United States Biological Survey from time to time issues statements contradicting these popular superstitions.

One of these statements recently refuted the belief that a porcupine when attacked protects itself by shooting its quills forcibly at its attacker. The fact is that the animal defends itself principally with blows from its strong, barbed tail, but the quills are not lost except through rough handling.

Similar denials have been made with respect to hoop snakes, joint snakes and the like, whose supposed peculiarities are only imaginary. It is likewise untrue that the ostrich hides his head in the sand upon the approach of an enemy, but the figure of speech has become so firmly established that it will doubtless continue to be employed for a long time to come.

There are many credulous people in the world who will accept almost any wild or strange superstition. A good many still believe that a horse-hair placed in a rain-barrel will eventually turn into a snake.

More than 100,000,000 rabbit skins were imported into the United States during the past year. Which indicates that more seal and sable coats than usual are to be worn.

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## Colma News Notes

Mrs. Andrew Micheletti and baby daughter are home from the Mills Memorial hospital at San Mateo.

Mrs. P. L. Peterson, of Mission street, visited her sister, Mrs. James Callan, of Crocker Tract, during the week.

The next meeting of El Carmelo Parlor will be held on Wednesday evening of next week in Masonic Hall, Daly City.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Zanetti and daughter Lois Jean, of Vale street, visited Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Micheletti last Sunday.

The teachers of the R. S. Thornton school have obtained a fine Columbia Grafonola, which will mean much enjoyment for the kiddies.

A very successful whist party was given by Cypress Circle, Order of Druids, on Tuesday evening of last week. These affairs are given each month and are very much enjoyed by all who attend.

Mrs. Flora Rossi and baby daughter, of Mateo avenue, visited relatives on First avenue last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. and Mrs. Stephen Fischer, of Castle street, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Maffei, of Lomita Park, last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Christine Hume enjoyed the excursion trip to Lake Tahoe that was sponsored by the Southern Pacific Company last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hume recently returned from Yosemite, where they spent several delightful days, the trip being made by motor.

Among the local people who attended the Mardi Gras at the Civic Auditorium in San Francisco last Tuesday evening were Yolanda Lagomarsino and Dr. Charles Keller.

Audrey Diamond, Tessie O'Connor and Roberta Hagerty returned home Monday from Lake Tahoe, where they enjoyed an excursion trip sponsored by the Southern Pacific Company.

The next meeting of La Fiesta Social Club will be held at the home of Miss Collista Dalton. Miss Dalton and Miss Sarah Battaini will be hostesses, and President Elsie Fahey will preside over the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nava and children and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Merlo and children narrowly escaped injury while riding in the Nava car in Berkeley last Sunday. A car coming in the opposite direction crashed into them when its driver lost control of it. Both cars were quite badly damaged.

The many local friends of Mr. Louis Lombardi, of San Bruno, extend their sincere sympathy in the loss of his

beloved wife, Mildred Lombardi, who passed away at her home in San Bruno on Thursday of last week. She also leaves a small daughter, Helen Louise. The funeral was held Monday at Mount Olivet cemetery.

The teachers of the R. S. Thornton school received an invitation from the board of directors of the San Francisco Women's Club to attend the teachers' day at the club on Saturday, March 3.

Mrs. Guerrino Ricci, of San Francisco, formerly of Colma, will be in charge of the big whist party to be given by the Colma Community Center on Saturday evening, March 3, in the center building on Dunk street. These affairs are given each month and a large crowd is expected to be present.

The Girls' Club of Colma will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. H. Brown, on Dunk street, on Thursday evening. Plans will be completed on this occasion for the big whist party the girls are to give at the Colma Community Center on March 24. Also arrangements will be made for the next supper to be given by the club.

Members of El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughters of the Golden West, celebrated the birthday anniversary of the Parlor last Tuesday evening, with a banquet at the Hotel Stewart and a theatre party at the Orpheum Theatre. All enjoyed a most pleasant evening. The arrangements for the affair were made by Miss Elsie Forsell and Mrs. Rose Sweeney.

Extensive preparations are being made by an energetic committee for the monster whist party and social to be given by the Colma Volunteer Fire Department at Jefferson Hall, Colma, on Saturday evening, March 10. Everyone in this vicinity should attend this party, as they are guaranteed one of the best times of their lives, and will also be showing their appreciation of the efforts of the members of our volunteer fire department.

Mrs. P. L. Peterson was hostess at a delicious turkey dinner, on Washington's birthday, in honor of the birthdays of her husband, P. L. Peterson, and daughter, Miss Dorothy Peterson. The affair was held at their home on Mission street. The table was beautifully decorated, having a centerpiece of yellow acacia and baskets and napkins in the same shade. Both the guests of honor received many lovely gifts. Those present were: Mrs. Dorothy Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Peterson, Misses Dorothy Peterson and Dorothy Dennis, Messrs. John Wohlers, Robert Dennis, John Garabaldi, John Dennis, Walter Peterson, Edward and George Dennis, Lawrence, Milton and Clifford Peterson. Jokes were told by several of the party and games were played until a late hour.

Thursday evening of last week Mrs. Sylvia Fischer entertained the members of La Fiesta Social Club at her home on Castle street, when the following officers were elected: President, Elsie Fahey; Vice-President, Sarah Battaini; Secretary, Margie O'Connor; Treasurer, Florence McKendrick; Hiking Manager, Collista Dalton; Swimming Manager, Audrey Diamond; and Publicity, Mrs. Sylvia Fischer. Audrey Diamond was appointed to purchase the club emblem in red and white, which the girls will wear on white sweaters. Collista Dalton is in charge of the arrangements for a hike to Mount Tamalpais on Sunday, March 4. After the business meeting an Italian supper was enjoyed by the following: Florence McKendrick, Lorraine Wall, Sarah Battaini, Collista Dalton, Cora Gaspadoni, Katherine McKendrick, Marge Kennedy, Audrey Diamond, Tessie O'Connor, Elsie Fahey, Margie O'Connor and Sylvia Fischer. Mr. Al Kennedy joined the party late in the evening.

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David Aratta is now employed at the Del Monte Grocery Store on Mission street.

Mrs. Rudolphus, who has been janitress at the Jefferson grammar school for many years, has resigned her position, which will now be filled by Mrs. Thomas Fahey. Mrs. Rudolphus was tendered a delightful luncheon by the teachers on Thursday.

The following members of El Carmelo Parlor were responsible for the success of the birthday anniversary party which was held at the Hotel Stewart and the Orpheum Theatre last Tuesday evening: Elsie Forsell, Rose Sweeney and Madeline Fellows.

Judge and Mrs. Ellis C. Johnson attended a beautiful appointed dinner party given on Wednesday evening, February 15, at the Fairmont Hotel, for Mrs. Thomas J. Lennon. About fifty guests were invited to the affair, which was in the nature of a farewell party for the guest of honor, who left the next day for a year's trip to Europe and the Holy Land. Mrs. Lennon, who has made her home at the Fairmont Hotel for many years, is a sister of Mrs. Johnson.

## POSTER EXHIBITION TO BE HELD MARCH 4

To create a sentiment against the indiscriminate destruction of wild flowers and the destruction of bird life, the California Wildflower Conservation League, under the direction of its president, Mrs. Bertha M. Rice, will hold a poster exhibition in the art gallery at Stanford University for two weeks, beginning March 4.

The school children and students of California have been invited to participate in this exhibition and to submit posters on the following topics: Save the Tyons; Keep the Home Poppies Growing—Leave Some for Seed; Protect the Birds; Don't Shoot! Photograph. The best posters received will be placed in the exhibit at Stanford and will later be taken on an exhibition tour to schools and colleges throughout the United States. The American Art Aid, located at Stanford University, has prepared a special set of instructions and designs to help those who wish to submit posters. These may be obtained by writing to the American Art Aid, Stanford University, California. The exhibition will also be seen at the San Jose Teachers' College beginning March 23.

### FACTS ABOUT THE TELEPHONE

New London is the first city in the state of Connecticut to have 100 per cent dial telephone service.

Telephone conversation has been successfully carried on between New York and Brussels, the capital of Belgium.

An average of about 2,000,000 telephone calls a day are handled over the Bell system lines in the state of New Jersey.

Telephone lines now touch all the important towns and villages in Palestine, and the use of the telephone is steadily increasing.

The state of Pennsylvania has almost a million miles of telephone wire which is used exclusively for toll and long distance calls.

A foreign telephone company was recently granted the concession for installing and operating a telephone system in Smyrna, Turkey.

### WORLD WAR VETERANS WILL STAGE ATHLETIC COMPETITION

State-wide competition in golf, indoor baseball, basketball and bowling between the Posts of the American Legion in California for the championship in the respective sports began March 1. The competition in the various sports is being conducted by districts and suitable trophies will be awarded to the winners in each Legion area, and finally for the championship. The competition is under the direction of the members of the athletic commission of the Legion, headed by Bert Mann, of Owensmouth.

### SOVIET LIKES TELEPHONES

Telephone connections with Moscow have been established in most of the important cities of Soviet Russia. The largest per cent of interurban telephone calls with the Moscow central office are from Leningrad, and the growth of this service is illustrated by the fact that in 1913 such conversations consumed a total of 324,000 minutes, whereas last year they aggregated about 1,000,000 speaking minutes.

An "ice-ball" of hollow metal in which liquid is frozen has been devised for cooling drinks without diluting them. When the liquid melts it is frozen again in an electric refrigerator.

Estimated by the sale of tooth-brushes, it is said that only 27 million out of 120 million persons in the United States brush their teeth regularly.

Chief Justice Meredith of Toronto in a recent alimony decision said that "no woman living apart from husband should expect him to keep her in idleness."

Emanuel Kahm, watchmaker and electrician of Friend, Kansas, has built a tiny motor less than half an inch high, which contains fifty-eight parts and runs perfectly.

## BRIDAL SHOWER GIVEN FOR MISS FREDA CHRISTEN

Miss Freda Christen, who will become the bride of Mr. Leon Winant this summer, was the guest of honor at a surprise bridal shower given on Friday evening of last week at the home of Miss Alice Winant, 1330 Felton street.

The parlor and dining rooms were attractively decorated for the occasion. The table, which was horseshoe shape, was beautifully decorated with flowers. At each end of the horseshoe was a floral centerpiece of roses, sweet peas and lilies of the valley, while in the center a beautiful floral centerpiece of panises, daffodils and yellow roses and a kewpie doll dressed as a bride carried out the bridal effect.

Miss Christen, who has resided on Templeton avenue since childhood, received many beautiful gifts from her friends. At midnight dainty refreshments were served, the following being present: Misses M. Nolan, M. Milano, L. Gregoire, D. Gregoire, A. Passalacqua, P. Spani, A. Mathias, C. Spani, P. Gregoire, M. Regan, V. Thorsen, F. De Muldre, J. Vagt, S. Romagieu; Mesdames C. Christen, M. Christen, R. Cullen, B. Milano, L. Gregoire, A. Arata, E. Greene, R. Grandona, A. De Mulder, J. Gregoire, J. Jaque, C. Winant, B. Gregoire, P. Stamatis, J. Gregoire, Jr., A. Church, O. Christen, E. Winant; Messrs. O. Christen, M. Christen, T. Milano, R. Grandona, R. Christen, J. Winant, L. Winant.

## "BURLESQUE" BRINGS MOVIE STAR TO SPEAKING STAGE

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## NOTICE OF ELECTION

### FOR TRUSTEES OF JEFFERSON UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of Jefferson Union High School District, County of San Mateo, State of California, that the Annual Election for High School Trustees will be held at the Public Schoolhouse in said District on the last Friday in March, viz., March 30, 1928. It will be necessary to elect two Trustees at large for three years.

The polls will be open between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and six o'clock P. M.

Signed:  
ADOLPH GEHRINGER, President.  
LILLIAN W. BROWN,  
TRUMAN BENTLEY,  
LEWIS W. STARK,  
STELLA JENSEN, Secretary.

Jefferson Union High School District.  
Dated: February 28, 1928.

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### SUMMONS

No. 13972.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo; and the complaint filed in said County of San Mateo in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.  
Edith Tucker, Plaintiff, vs. Modest Carroll Tucker, Defendant.  
The People of the State of California Send Greeting to Modest Carroll Tucker, Defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, and answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within said county, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, this 23rd day of January, A. D. 1928.

(SEAL)  
ELIZABETH M. KNEESE, Clerk.  
By Mura B. Stillson, Deputy Clerk.  
Edmund Scott, Redwood City, California, Attorney for Plaintiff.

1-27-3-30

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE

In accordance with the terms and under the authority of a certain deed of trust duly executed by Camar Johnson, the party of the first part, to Title Insurance and Guaranty Co., a corporation, trustee, party of the second part, and Al Schmidt and Lucille Schmidt, his wife, and Bert Youngs and Mary Youngs, his wife, parties of the third part, dated May 30, 1926, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Volume 247 Official Records, at page 1, and following: And in pursuance of an application and notification by said Carrie E. Bridge on the 9th day of November, 1927, the holder of the note to secure payment of which the aforesaid deed of trust had been made in the payment of the principal sum, interest and other sums due under said note and deed of trust, and requesting and directing Henry S. Bridge and Harry B. Allen, successors as trustees to Title Insurance and Guaranty Co., trustees named in said deed of trust, to sell the real estate described therein to satisfy said indebtedness.

Now, therefore, we, Henry S. Bridge and Harry B. Allen, trustees named in said deed of trust, do hereby give notice that on Saturday, the 3rd day of March, 1928, at 9 o'clock A. M., at the front entrance of the Town Hall of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, we will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in gold coin of the United States of America, that certain piece or parcel of land and as a whole, situate, lying and being in the Town of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

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## BEFORE DINNER

"Food is the only fashion which stands all time," announced Sammy Sausage.

"Good! That speech will live through the ages," squealed the other pigs. But then Brother Bacon decided to tell a story while they were waiting for their dinner.

"A club was formed last summer," he commenced, "and some people raised corn in their gardens for pigs; yes, entirely for pigs."

"The story is an exceptionally sensible story," squealed the other pigs.

"We couldn't believe that you would tell an utterly senseless story," said Pinky Pig, "without mentioning food in some way."

"A senseless story would be one without food in it."

"Well," said Brother Bacon, "these people each adopted a pig and spent their time growing food which would make pigs fat and fine."

"They were going to feed them well."

"How kind of them," said Miss



Brother Bacon Decided to Tell a Story.

Ham. "They must have been sensible people to have known enough to work and grow food for pigs."

"Of course," admitted Brother Bacon, "they did all this to make the pigs fat so that pigs would be good to eat and so they would make nice pork."

"Hush," said Grandfather Porky Pig. "Don't mention that part of the story."

"But, anyway, to have some one look after me and feed me all the time, and never think of any one or anything else—well, I'd be willing to be eaten after I had known such bliss."

"So would we all," squealed the other pigs.

"My story was nice after all, wasn't it?" asked Brother Bacon.

"I have meant to tell it before, but I have been kept busy looking after my meals."

"Here comes our dinner now, so no more talking."

"We all see it coming, so we won't talk, nor will we listen, never fear, dear Brother Bacon," they grunted.

## The Jolly Miller

For this game chairs are arranged the same as in "Musical Chairs." One player stands to one side, and says or sings the following verse, while the rest walk round the chairs:

There was a jolly miller and he lived by himself, As the mill went round he gained his wealth, One hand in the hopper, and the other in the bag, As the mill went round he made his grab.

At the word grab all the players sit down on the chairs. The thing to remember in playing the game is for the singer or reciter, not to sing or say the words evenly; he should say a line slowly, then another one fast, or a word slowly and another quicker, so that the players do not know when the word grab is coming.

## Tongue Twisters

Mother, may Molly May and Mary accompany me home?

Tom Tickle teases stout toads; thickest, tough, tawny toads.

Eleven elegant elephants eagerly eating endive and earthnuts.

Frances fears frogs; fetch five fine fat frogs for Frances.

Dutiful Dan doing daily duty; Dan does not grudge doing disagreeable duties.

## When Is a Hook, Not a Hook?

A New York city school teacher tells about a little boy whose coat was so difficult to fasten that she went to his assistance. As she tugged at the hook, she said:

"Did your mother hook this coat for you?"

"No," was the astounding reply, "she bought it."—From Children, The Magazine for Parents.

## The Awful Example

"What are you doing with that miserable-looking cur, sonny?"

"Tak'n 'im to the dog show."

"But you can't win a prize with 'im!"

"Well, they may give me a special prize for show'n the kind of dog that no dog ought to be!"

## Delicate Matter

Teacher—Can you tell me, John, where shingles were first used?

Johnny—Yes'm; but I'd rather not, ma'am.

## Sylvia of the Minute

By

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## CHAPTER VI—Continued

"Not always. Sometimes," she answered guardedly.

"I should think the schoolroom would be too dark for you to work there so late."

"I usually stop working before dark."

"But this evening?"

"I—lingered on—"

A brief silence.

"I must warn you, Miss Schwenckton, it's not really safe for you to be alone after dark either in your school room or on this lonely road."

"Then I'm thankful you're with me."

"But what detained you so late?"

"Oh—this and that—a bit of work—"

"Correcting spelling-papers, I presume?"

"Really, Mr. Creighton, your interest in perfectly unimportant, trivial things like spelling-papers! My—goodness!"

"I'll bet you never bore yourself with correcting spelling-papers! Not you!"

"How you came by the impression that I'm so light-minded as never to correct spelling-papers! Well, to be sure, it isn't my favorite pastime, I do sometimes indulge in other diversions."

No use—he could not trap her into admitting that she had been working in her schoolroom, but walking on the highway. Why didn't she want to admit it?

"Oh!" he exclaimed as at this instant she tripped over a rough place in the dark road and, to his consternation, fell headlong. "Are you hurt?" he solicitously inquired in alarm as he lifted her and she leaned against him panting.

"No, no. Don't you know, Mr. Creighton," she asked, as she moved out from the circle of his arm, "how dangerous it is to lift a fallen woman?"

"What a h-l of a road!" she remarked as they resumed their walk cautiously, his hand under her arm to guide her.

"There are just two kinds of girls," said Marvin, "that would talk about a h-l of a road—high-born ladies and toughs! As a country teacher and pious Sam Schwenckton's relative, you don't come under either of these heads. What must I conclude?"

"That I adapt my speech to my company. When I'm with—Cousin Sam—my speech is Yea and Nay."

"If it were more than that I'm sure he would not harbor you—if for no other reason than for your corrupting influence on his children. You're not afraid he might have your school taken from you?"

"He would if he thought it was his duty to," she nodded, her tone expressing supreme indifference to this fate so dreaded of the county teachers.

"You wouldn't mind that—losing your school?" he asked curiously.

"It would be hard on the school. They'd not get another teacher like me in a hurry!" she smiled.

"I can well believe you!"

"I've always thought people that don't know me miss a lot!"

"I'm sure I've gained a lot in knowing you!"

"Thanks. Same to you. And if I were dismissed," she added with a sigh, "all the elegant education I'm getting in textbook lore would be brought to an untimely end! I'm learning a lot through teaching—from geography up."

"Up? Up to what?"

"Oh, the multiplication tables up to twelve. I never knew them so well beyond seven."

"Then for the sake of your education, I hope Sam Schwenckton doesn't find out what he's harboring in his family!" added Marvin earnestly, a so-bellious note in his voice. "I'm afraid that with the sort of trustees we have in this district a teacher like you can't hold down this job long! I'd hate like the dickens to have your bigoted old trustees fire you, so let me warn you—do be a bit prudent—if it's in you to be! I've been hearing complaints—"

"Of me?"

"—from the parents. A small boy in your school, Jakey Raffensburger, roused his parents' suspicions by being so enamored of school since you've taught it, when heretofore he had to be flogged to make him go, that they were moved to investigate the reason and he admitted, after much probing, that he'd rather go to school to you than see a movie, because you told them about 'devils,' showed them pictures of devils and acted the devil for them! Satan, it seems, has become to Jakey a hero, to the unspeakable horror of his devout parents, who, felleve me, take the devil seriously! They complained to me that they didn't send their child to school to learn to love and admire the devil! So I inter-viewed Jake and found you'd been telling these children of scenes from 'Paradise Lost'!"

"A little English poetry surely can't be objected to, Mr. Creighton?"

"It's not in the curriculum, Miss Schwenckton! Stick to the curriculum just enough to hold your job, can't you?"

"But do you know I couldn't endure

my job a week if I didn't live it up with a little of the joy of life!"

"Joy of life—Paradise Lost? You'll be brightening their lives with Dante's 'Inferno' next! By the way," he suddenly remembered, "you're booked for a talk to the district teachers at their monthly meeting next Saturday, aren't you?"

"Gawd help me, yes! Ain't it awful!"

"What are you going to give them?"

"How to teach geography, I suppose?"

"I could even get away with that in the frock I'm going to wear! The softest, most alluring French blue georgette!" she said enthusiastically.

"Anything I say will be well received in that garb! I'm trying to collect suitable shoes and hat to go with the frock, seeing the hard-boiled shoes and hat I'd just invested in, before I'd dreamed of buying this dainty frock."

Would be a thought too harsh. If I'd only known," she lamented, "that I was going to buy that luscious georgette, I'd have bought entirely different shoes and hat! Isn't it tragic they don't match?" she wailed.

"Good Lord, are you confusing a teachers' institute with a fashion show? I asked you what you're going to talk about to those teachers?"

"What would you advise?" she asked confidently.

"Do you mean to say you haven't anything ready and the meeting booked for day after tomorrow?"

"I don't know any of the teachers, so I don't know their tastes."

"Tastes! Do you think you're expected to treat them to a vaudeville stunt? You're supposed, child, to dis-

also, that she'd got some interesting mail from England—"

He paused again tentatively. Meely held herself rigid that he might not detect the tremor that went over her at his words.

"Good night," he said abruptly—and before she quite realized he was going, he had disappeared in the dimness of the road.

St. Croix Creighton and his father, dining at the Ritz-Carlton in Philadelphia, were discussing a certain matter not at all connected with the business of the directors' meeting which they had come to the city to attend.

If the infatuated eyes of Nettie Schwenckton could have beheld St. Croix just now—his evening clothes making him look taller, more slender, more than ever like the young god of her romantic air castles, she would indeed have thought her "honor" a small price to pay for any least notice such a divine creature might bestow upon her. Little did that enamored maiden dream that at that very moment her name was on the sacred lips of her demi-god, her image in his thought.

St. Croix, in his desperation that afternoon, after Meely's amazing refusal, determined, on his way to his car, that he would pique her into a regard for him by exciting her jealousy; she herself had given him the hint when she had explained her silence about the teacher's boarding with them. He would make love to that school teacher under her very eyes! Meely should be made to see how other girls in her station, or in any station, for that matter, jumped at his nod!

And then he had seen, as he supposed, the school teacher in his brother's company; coming out of her schoolhouse hours after the closing time, apparently in a relation with him of the utmost friendliness. This was the third time in ten days that he had seen Marvin come out of that schoolhouse! His official duties certainly did not take him there so often as that. St. Croix was genuinely worried over the circumstance, as well as irritated at being foiled in his plan to make Meely jealous of the teacher, which of course he could not do if Marvin were intrigued with her.

Over their cigarettes and coffee St. Croix was shifting his own apprehensions about his brother on to his father's broad shoulders.

"The danger is, you know, Father, that Marvin might take it into his cracked head to marry one of these common country teachers! If he happened to fall in love with one of them, her station or breeding wouldn't stop him!"

"Her station wouldn't. Her breeding would. Marvin's fastidious."

"Within limits," St. Croix doubtfully admitted.

"Bad breeding would be a limit for him."

"I wouldn't trust him! He'd be just fool enough to think he could raise her to his level. You know what he is—all for leveling and equalizing!"

"I ought to know what he is! I've suffered enough from what he is!" Mr. Creighton said bitterly. "Takes after his mother. Never got his crazy radical slant from me!"

"Mother's not radical."

"She's tolerant. Tolerant of anything!"

"Much too tolerant of Marvin's freakishness!" St. Croix grumbled.

"Yes, if she'd only stand squarely with me about the boy—" Mr. Creighton paused and shook his gray head. "No—no use. What good has it done, my taking the extreme stand I have?—even ordering my own son out of my house!" he exclaimed, a pained look in his eyes that made St. Croix, who was fond of his father, curse his brother in his heart. "I thought he'd come back cured in a month at most! But what does he do? Gets himself a good job and goes to work! More confirmed than ever in his wrong-headedness! I'm seriously thinking of asking him to come home again. Might as well. He'll never change. And it makes your mother so unhappy—his being away!"

"And the d—d gossip it makes!" St. Croix frowned.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"The Danger Is, You Know, Father, That Marvin Might Take It Into His Cracked Head to Marry One of These Common Country Teachers!"

ness some pedagogical problem or theory for their edifying! Now I'll admit you've some rather good ideas, if you could put them over—"

"It won't matter what I say—they'll be too taken up with looking at my blue French georgette—" She was off on the frock again and she sang its praises for the next two minutes without intermission, until they had reached the Schwencktons' gate.

As they stopped, Meely suddenly realized, with a passing anxiety, that she had been entirely neglecting to attend to her accent—she had been saying "jawgette" and "Mattiah" and "teach-ah."

"Oh, come in and see Aunt Rosy. Will you?"

"Sounds tempting—but I hardly have time; I always spend Thursday evening with my mother, as my father is never home then; he attends a directors' meeting in Philadelphia every Thursday." He paused; then added slowly, deliberately, "Mother phoned me she particularly wanted to see me this evening, as she'd found an old photograph I'd asked her to look for—"

Scarllet Uniform Not Conspicuous in Field

The writers of American school histories have frequently taken occasion to remark scornfully upon the scarlet uniform worn by the British regulars in the campaigns against the Indians during Colonial days, but, as a matter of fact, the scarlet coat of the Briton was a less conspicuous uniform than the blue subsequently adopted for the army of the United States.

Careful experiments have brought out the fact that light gray, such as that worn by the West Point cadets, is the color first lost to sight in the field. Scarlet comes next, with dark gray, blue and green in the order named. In target practice it has been found that of all colors scarlet is most difficult to hit. Light green is almost invisible under the violet tinge of elec-

tric lights, and would, therefore, be an excellent color for the uniforms of naval scouts who would be exposed to the rays of an enemy's searchlights.

## Universal Passport

"Do not go West without money" is a Californian's advice to easterners. Good advice, and it may also be mentioned that it is equally good for those going East, North and South.—Boston Transcript.

## Study Seldom Wasted

A man to whom three years of study have borne no fruit would be hard to find.—Confucius.

## Idle talk can be very busy.

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## A Compromise

"How shall I ever meet my obligations?" groaned the bankrupt.

"Meet them half-way," suggested his legal adviser. And thereupon he made a 50 per cent assignment.—Boston Transcript.

## Quart of Water Cleans Kidneys

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No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority.

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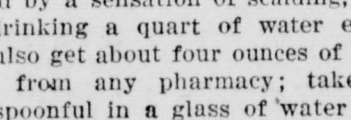
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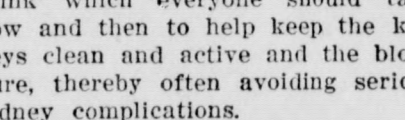
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EMPLOYMENT SURVEY  
URGED BY OFFICIAL

With the declaration that 150,000 unemployed men and women are estimated to be in California at the present time, Will J. French, state director of industrial relations, has

recommended that Governor Young appoint a special state-wide commission to study the unemployment problem and report on means of solving it. French's recommendation, submitted at the governor's cabinet meeting last Wednesday, suggested that the commission include representatives of all community groups affected by the un-

employment and also university men who have studied what has been done for the jobless in other countries.

San Francisco and Los Angeles authorities, already attempting to cope with the situation, will welcome state action, and so will the farmers and fruit growers, French predicted.

"Science and intelligence, plus expert knowledge," French asserted, "can well be directed toward making an intensive survey of such a vital problem as unemployment, and it will pay society to explore the various avenues that may lead to some solution, or at least alleviation."

Governor Young indicated he considered the plan a meritorious one, especially, he said, since California is probably growing faster than any other state in the Union, and the unemployment situation, unless faced squarely, appears certain to become more and more acute as the population increases.

GRADING IS BEGUN  
FOR BIG BAY SPAN

The grading of an approach to the San Mateo-Hayward bridge began at San Mateo last Friday, constituting the first land work on the new roadway, with the exception of preliminary blasting at Coyote Point. Dredges of the Dutton Dredge Company, of San Francisco, have been busy off the bay shore near that point since February 1.

The work inaugurated is the first grading of the new route from the foot of Third avenue to Seal Creek, surveys for which were recently completed. A steam shovel, the first to be placed in operation, got under way last Friday. The approach for the big bay span is being built by the dredge company and is to be finished within six months under the terms of the contract. The grading is being directed by Captain Fred A. Savage, resident engineer for the San Francisco Bay Toll Bridge Company, which started active construction on the bridge several weeks ago.

MOVIE FANS PROMISED  
AN INTERESTING WEEK

The State Theatre has booked an unusual number of interesting attractions for the coming week. This Saturday there will be two feature pictures, Thunder in "Wings of the Storm," and Leatrice Joy in "For Alimony Only." Next Sunday, Fred Thompson in "Jesse James," and Irene Rich in "Dearie." On Monday, March 5, they will present that interesting picture "One Increasing Purpose," in which Edmund Lowe and Lila Lee have the leading roles. On Tuesday, March 6, there will be two high class pictures, Madge Bellamy in "Colleen," and Louise Fazenda in "The Gay Old Bird." On Wednesday and Thursday, March 7 and 8, that great comedian, Buster Keaton, in "The General," one of the cleverest pictures of the year. Friday, March 9, Bebe Daniels and Richard Arlen will be seen in "She's a Sheik." Friday night will see the usual Novelty Nite program, which promises to be better than ever.

HARDWOODS ONCE  
GREW IN YOSEMITE

Four million years ago magnolia, sycamore and chestnut trees flourished in the Yosemite Valley, in the opinion of H. L. Mason, Associate in Phenogamic Botany in the University of California. The blasting away of a ledge to widen the park's loop road between Mammoth Hot Springs and Camp Roosevelt has revealed tons of rock bearing the fossil imprint of leaves and twigs of these species. Professor Mason believes the material of which this rock was formed accumulated about 4,000,000 years ago during a volcanic eruption that destroyed the trees and buried the leaves.

From the abundance of chestnut leaves it appears that the chestnut was one of the most common trees in this prehistoric forest. The redwood also is known to have lived in the Yosemite Valley.

## DEMPSEY IS POPULAR

Whether he ever comes back as the heavyweight champion or not, Jack Dempsey has come back as the popular favorite of sportdom, if a poll of more than a million followers of athletic contests can be considered decisive.

The vote was conducted through 135 newspapers of the United States and Canada, to determine the most popular athletic of the day. Dempsey received a total of 671,525 votes, according to the system of computation employed, or more than twice as many as Babe Ruth, who stood second, and more than three times as many as Gene Tunney, who ran third. Other athletes followed in this order: Lou Gehrig, Bobby Jones, Red Grange, Helen Wills, Paul Waner, Walter Hagen, and Walter Johnson.

Dempsey first tasted popularity in a big way when he defeated Willard in 1919, only to lose it through charges that he was a war slacker and that he was reluctant to fight to defend his title. When he fought Carpentier of France in 1921, many American fans desired to see Carpentier win. Yet today after two defeats by Tunney, it appears that Dempsey is not only the most popular pugilist, but the most admired figure in the entire world of athletics. Anyway, that's how the fans voted.

## SIDELIGHTS

A sophisticated New Yorker gallantly picked up a handkerchief which an apparently unsophisticated girl had dropped, and on the strength of the incident induced her to take an automobile spin with him. While indulging in the joy ride, she stole his watch.

It must be confessed that bank robbers are using a more humane technique of late. Following numerous recent precedents, four of them held James Dillon, cashier, in the Industrial State Bank of Chicago all night awaiting the opening of the time lock, when they abstracted \$35,000, leaving Dillon bound and gagged, but otherwise unharmed.

The once popular song, "The City That Has No Heart," does not apply to Cleveland, if Safety Director Barry fairly represents that municipality. When the dog-catcher impounded little Joe Hansen's dog and Joe pleaded that he couldn't raise the \$5.75 necessary for his pet's release, Barry turned the animal loose and said, "charge the expense to the city."

Even Uncle Sam's eagle-eyed officials get fooled sometimes. Mrs. A. C. Polk, of Arcadia, Florida, recently received a letter which had come through from Georgia bearing one of that state's tobacco revenue stamps in lieu of postage.

A Canadian magistrate convicted Arthur Larocque of obtaining money under false pretenses by selling a bottle of water for \$3.50 after representing that it was whisky. Americans get defrauded worse than that, but have no law to protect them.

An occurrence at the University of Kentucky again illustrates the effectiveness of an aggressive minority. A small rat, placed in a cage as food for five captive rattlesnakes, took advantage of their lethargic condition, which was induced by cold weather, and viciously attacking the reptiles killed them all.

Ed Merrick, county clerk at Keokuk, Iowa, is a sort of self-appointed lieutenant to Cupid. He offers a free marriage license to any girl who will appear before him on February 29 and declare that she proposed to her man and got him. He wants to find out whether there is anything to the old Leap Year idea.

Inmates of a jail in Genoa, Italy, objected to the introduction of compulsory dancing lessons in the institution, and with apparently valid reasons. It was shown that the instructors, vexed by the clumsy efforts of some of their pupils, had tried to develop more graceful movements by blacking their eyes and otherwise manhandling them.

In the event of a deadlock at Houston the Democrats will have a confident dark horse to fall back on. Rev. Alonzo Workman, of Duncan, Okla., declares that he "feels it in his soul" that he will be the next president. He is said to have wired the Democratic national headquarters: "I choose to run for president in 1928."

Science and invention have contributed much to the joy and comfort of mankind, but they may also conjure up new terrors, one of which was recently reported in the press dispatches. A man in Honolulu has invented a ukelele which can be heard for half a mile.

Lindbergh visited 17 cities in 14 countries between December 13 and February 13, thus successfully defying the 13 superstition. In response to many suggestions that he should in future give up hazardous flights, he scouted the idea of retiring. In fact, he almost "went up in the air."

Angus Kopociak, 19-year-old Indian trapper near Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., should be a formidable contender for the Marathon championship. Armed with an axe, he chased a wolf five miles through the forest and killed it.

A Mr. Flatt of Aurora, Ill., has woven his name into a rather unusual slogan for his automobile tire business. On each tire cover sent out by his establishment is painted the legend: "Lots of Flatt Tires Running Around."

Charles Holman, air mail pilot of Minneapolis, celebrated Lincoln's birthday by looping the loop 1,093 times before making a landing. A fellow pilot, Lyle Thro, on the same day made 543 loops before being forced down by engine trouble. Great sport for those who are fond of that sort of thing.

## ELECTRICAL PROGRESS

Among the many notable advances of the past year in the practical application of electricity, perhaps the most epochal were the first use of the trans-Atlantic telephone, the introduction of television in a commercial way and the development of beam radio stations.

Another significant evidence of progress is seen in the new ideas and improved equipment which have been applied to the latest power stations, whereby the cost of generating electricity by steam plants has been brought below four mills per

kilowatt in some instances, with even greater economies promised for the near future.

This increased efficiency of steam plants will have a most important bearing upon the future value of waterpower projects, because only those power dams which are most advantageously located will be able to produce electricity at a cost materially less than that involved in its generation by steam.

A survey by the National Industrial Conference Board shows that the use of electrical power in manufacturing has trebled during the last ten years and now totals 26,123,573 horsepower, or 73 per cent of all the power so used.

What the total electrical output will be in another ten years must be left largely to the imagination. Electrification of farms and railroads is in its infancy, but is going forward rapidly. New electrical appliances for every conceivable means of utility, comfort and entertainment are being developed with amazing rapidity. In fact, we are just beginning to get some slight idea of what electricity will mean to civilization of the future.

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## SUMMONS TO ESTABLISH TITLE

Action No. 13876.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

Matthew C. Callan, Plaintiff, vs. All persons claiming any interest in, or lien upon, the real property herein described or any part thereof, defendants.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

To all persons claiming any interest in, or lien upon, the real property herein described or any part thereof, defendants, greeting:

You are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint of Matthew C. Callan, plaintiff, filed with the Clerk of the above entitled Court and County, within three months after the first publication of this summons, and to set forth what interest or lien, if any, you have in or upon that certain real property or any part thereof, situated in the County of San Mateo, State of California, particularly described as follows:

All of Lots 1 and 4 of West End Homestead Association as per map thereof filed in the office of the Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, March 26, 1863, and recorded in Book "C" and "D" of Maps, at page 63, and also as per map entitled "Map of the Property for the West End Homestead Association," filed for record in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on January 25, 1865, in Liber 4 of Deeds, at page 415.

And you are hereby notified that, unless you so appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: That it be adjudged that the plaintiff is the owner of said property in fee simple absolute; that his title to said property be established and quieted; that the Court ascertain and determine all estates, rights, titles, interests and claims in and to said property, and every part thereof, whether the same be legal or equitable, present or future, vested or contingent, and whether the same consists of mortgages or liens of any description; that plaintiff recover his costs herein and have such other and further relief as may be met in the premises.

Witness my hand and the seal of this Court.

Dated December 23, 1927.

(SEAL) ELIZABETH M. KNEESE, Clerk.

By G. R. WINTER, Deputy Clerk.

Franklin Swart, Attorney for Plaintiff.

MEMORANDUM

The first publication of this summons was made in the Daly City Record newspaper on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1928.

The following persons are said to claim an interest in, or lien upon, said property adverse to plaintiff:

Joseph S. Kent, 461 Market Street, San Francisco, California.

Henry W. Henderson, 461 Market Street, San Francisco, California.

Secondo Moisio, 592 Mission Street, Daly City, California.

Salvina Moisio, 592 Mission Street, Daly City, California.

Charles Servau, address unknown.

Peter Gernert, address unknown.

Julia Gernert, address unknown.

C. A. Meyer, address unknown.

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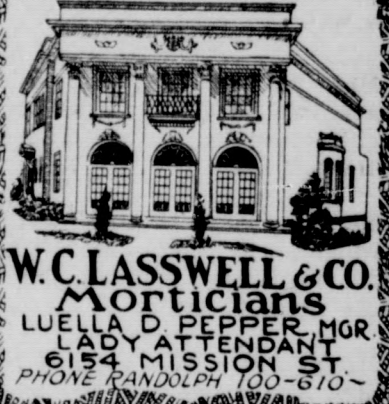
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**B**oy Isaac, a violin and piano duet by Jack Sanderson and Mrs. Secour, and a recitation by Cynthia Morgan. In addition to the entertainment a short business meeting was held. The association decided to send Mrs. George Putney, president of the club, as Jefferson's representative to the

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# DALY CITY

## NEWS NOTES OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Carl Von Hoffer is making extensive alterations in his home on Gambetta avenue.

J. L. Brown and daughter Tamsel, of Ross, Marin county, were in Daly City last Saturday.

Miss Ruth Wells has returned from Los Angeles and is with her mother, Mrs. Arthur Harris, 127 Wellington avenue.

Mrs. Elmer Hehly, of Woodrow street, was a member of the Southern Pacific excursion to Lake Tahoe over last week end.

Mizpah Circle, C. O. F., will hold a whist party in Masonic Hall, Daly City, on Friday evening, March 9. Score cards 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Coots, of Fresno, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Huesden, of 63 Woodrow street, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Jordan and son James attended the dedication of the beautiful new addition to the State Armory on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. John Viotti and sons Reynold and Elmo, of Irvington street, were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mrs. A. Arbinelli, of Rolph street.

Mrs. Loftus, of Redwood City, who is connected with the Social Service Department of San Mateo county, was a visitor in Daly City last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cobleigh and family, of 239 Peoria street, attended a double birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Cobleigh's brother, A. Guenther, and sister, Mrs. George Gray, at their home, 89 Curtis street, Crocker Amazon Tract.

Mrs. J. Carboni, of Irvington street, has been on the sick list during the past week.

Mrs. Earl Abbott and family returned this week from a two weeks' trip to Miramonti.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo McKella, of 95 Vendome avenue, entertained a number of their friends at their home last Saturday evening.

Walter Shaw, Jr., of San Francisco, spent last week end visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. A. Franklin, of 167 Irvington street.

Mrs. J. M. Dehany, of 1155 Hanover street, has been confined to her bed the past week, suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia.

Mrs. J. Hart and Mrs. L. Johnson will discontinue their whist party, held every Monday afternoon at Eagles' Hall, until further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sibilia, of 184 Peoria street, are the proud possessors of a new Chevrolet sedan, which they purchased last Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Kneese, county clerk of San Mateo county, was a visitor last Monday night at the meeting of the City Councilmen in the City Hall.

Lieutenant William Blaylock, of the Aviation Corps, Crissy Field, was a visitor on Wednesday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Blaylock, of 563 Evergreen avenue.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thorpe, of 56 Risel avenue, are glad to hear that their children, Evelyn and Roy, are able to be out again after being seriously ill for the past five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grandona, of 500 Tempelton avenue, entertained a group of their friends at their home Wednesday evening of last week, having as their guests Miss Mary Nolan, Miss Hazel Martinelli, Miss Kate Tarragno, George Castiglio, Mil Alcone, Louis Bertetta, Charles Rattaro, and August Tarragno.

## Sunday Special Chicken Dinner

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## Peter's Lunch

PETER PAVLOS  
Proprietor

Mrs. Anna Perry, of 115 Crocker avenue, made a business trip to Redwood City on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Wisser, of Al's Harwarde Store on Wellington avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Milo visited their cousins in the Presidio last Sunday.

Arthur Harris, recently of Los Angeles, who for several months has resided at 191 Wilson street, has taken the home at 127 Wellington avenue.

All voters of Daly City must register in San Mateo county, not in San Francisco. Several have already registered in San Francisco by mistake, and had to be re-registered in San Mateo county.

Mrs. Jack Doyle, of Evergreen avenue, was hostess to the ladies of the Joker Club at her home on Tuesday of last week. The ladies spent the afternoon playing whist, after which dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. R. H. Hankinson and grandson, John Bannister, of Kansas City, Missouri, who are making a tour of the West, were visitors last Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mackey Moss, of 527 Evergreen avenue.

Mrs. C. E. Benjamin, formerly of Colma, and Miss Anna Beattie, of Georgetown, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Langley, of 162 Irvington street, on Wednesday of last week.

John Gigox entertained a number of his friends at a radio party at his home on Vista avenue, where a very pleasant evening was spent, later the party adjourning to "Uncle Dick's," where a midnight supper was served.

Sonny Wright, of 526 Evergreen avenue, celebrated his tenth birthday on Monday, entertaining ten of his little friends. A jolly afternoon was spent, followed by dainty refreshments which were greatly enjoyed by the youngsters.

Don't forget the first annual ball to be given by the Peninsula Police Officers' Association for the benefit of the widows and orphans fund, at Pacific City pavilion, on April 14. Music by Art Weidner's orchestra. Admission \$1.00. Ladies free.

Horace Fellows and son Kenneth, of Niantic avenue, and Mr. L. Lombard of Ye Novelty Shoppe, motored to Orland, Glenn county, on Friday of last week. Mr. Fellows and son returned on Monday. Mr. Lombard remained to enjoy a two weeks' vacation.

Chief Doyle advises that all residents be sure that all doors and windows are safely locked before they leave their homes. Report all peddlers, solicitors, or suspicious looking characters or machines to the police department, Telephone Randolph 55.

Mr. and Mrs. Mal Tacchi, of Santa Barbara avenue, entertained several of their friends at their home last Sunday evening, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Mackey Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sibilia and daughter Gloria, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Foppiano and son Buster.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sundstrom, of 174 Crocker avenue, are receiving the congratulations of their many friends upon the arrival of a baby daughter, born on February 15. Mrs. Sundstrom and baby, who has been named Rose Marie, returned home on Sunday from the St. Luke's hospital, much to the delight of little Albert, Jr.

Miss Veta Wilcox and Toney Erwin were married last Saturday evening at the bride's home on Lisbon street, Rev. Elliott Fisher of the Daly City Methodist church, officiating. The bride is a popular young lady who was formerly employed at the Mutual store on Mission street at Evergreen avenue.

Daly City people had a little excitement last Monday when Colin Bennett flew over the city quite a few times, doing little stunts. His friends are glad to know that he is making rapid progress and has passed his physical examinations 100 per cent. He expects his pilot's license from Washington very soon. His friends are wishing him good luck.

Mizpah Circle, C. O. F., held a reception in honor of the nineteenth birthday of Miss Adelaide Hogan, Chief Companion. After the business of the evening the members were called into the banquet hall, where a delicious banquet was served. A large birthday cake occupied the center of the beautifully decorated table. Many lovely gifts were presented to the guest of honor by her friends in the order.

The Social Club of San Francisco Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, met at the home of Mrs. R. F. Emerson, of Peoria street, Daly City, on Wednesday afternoon, February 29. Mrs. Emerson and Mrs. M. Darr, of Irvington street, were hostesses. Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock, and the afternoon was spent at whist and bridge. The guests were Mrs. Laura Moon, Past Matron; Mrs. H. Schroeder, Mrs. Kogelschatz, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Petticord, Mrs. Moulton, Mrs. Schmidt.

Building permits were granted this week to F. McAfee for two five room houses, one at 244 Acton street, and the other at 250 Acton street, and to J. Metcalf for a five room house at 419 Acton street.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Pettigrew, of Hillcrest Drive, and Jimmy Dorezo, of San Francisco, motored to Yosemite on Tuesday of last week, returning on Wednesday. Mrs. Pettigrew has a fine collection of pictures taken in Yosemite, that show how beautiful the country is in its snow covering.

The Parent-Teachers' Association of the Crocker-Pershing schools held a very successful whist party on Tuesday afternoon at Company No. 4 fire house on Peoria street. Refreshments were served after the game and all the ladies spent a very pleasant afternoon.

The Jefferson Union high school P. T. A. held their regular monthly meeting at the high school on Thursday evening of last week. Mayor H. H. Smith, Mr. Edwards, Mr. F. W. Schmidt and Mr. T. Bentley were the speakers for the evening. Refreshments were served after a very interesting meeting.

Mrs. John Cosbie, of 510 Bellevue avenue, entertained a group of friends at luncheon on Monday, those present being Mrs. McDermott, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Trantner, Mrs. Braumbeck, Mrs. Forrest, Mrs. G. Winter, Mrs. A. Stewart, Mrs. J. Jordan, Mrs. Wm. Reiman, Mrs. A. Andreson, Mrs. E. Wilson.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Company No. 3, Daly City Volunteer Fire Department, will hold their regular monthly whist party at the fire house on Westlake avenue at Mission street, on Thursday evening, March 8. A good time is assured all who attend. Refreshments will be served after the game.

Chief of Police Doyle warns all motorists to stop at all Arterial Stop signs. Also new license plates must be on all cars, an operator's license must be at all times in owner's possession. Failure on the part of drivers to observe these laws will result in their being brought before the magistrate for punishment.

Mrs. O. Edwards, of Gambetta street, entertained several of her friends last Saturday evening at a bridge party. After the game dainty refreshments were served by the hostess to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gehring and Mr. and Mrs. Hackley.

Miss Mildren Ross, of 33 Rice street, entertained several of her friends at her home last Saturday evening. The evening was spent in dancing, and at midnight dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were: Misses Rosa Bauer, Mary Brian, Alma Ratto, Evelyn Fitzgerald, Margaret Sullivan, Bertie Green, Henrietta McKeown, Lorraine Brown; Messrs. Lawrence Vireno, Harold Fischer, Albert Saari, Freddy Larsen, Bert Barsley, Rae Bijou, David Gehring, John Hannigan, Edward Goldkuhl.

A surprise party was given Mrs. A. Franklin at her home on Irvington street on Thursday of last week, in honor of her birthday. A pleasant afternoon was spent, after which dainty refreshments were served. Those who attended were Mrs. Elsie Wright, her daughter, of Evergreen avenue, Mrs. R. Noye, Mrs. J. Roth, Earle, sisters of Mrs. Franklin, who reside in Alameda, Mrs. M. Insiack, Mrs. Pubala and Mrs. Graziani. Many lovely gifts were received by Mrs. Franklin.

## PICKWICK STAGE AND STAR CAR COLLIDE ON MISSION

A Pickwick stage driven by R. E. Gentry and a Star car driven by J. Mouth met in a head-on collision on Mission street, in front of the New San Francisco Auto Camp, Wednesday evening at 11:30. Mr. Mouth, who lives in San Bruno, was injured and was taken to the South San Francisco hospital, but later was able to return to his home.

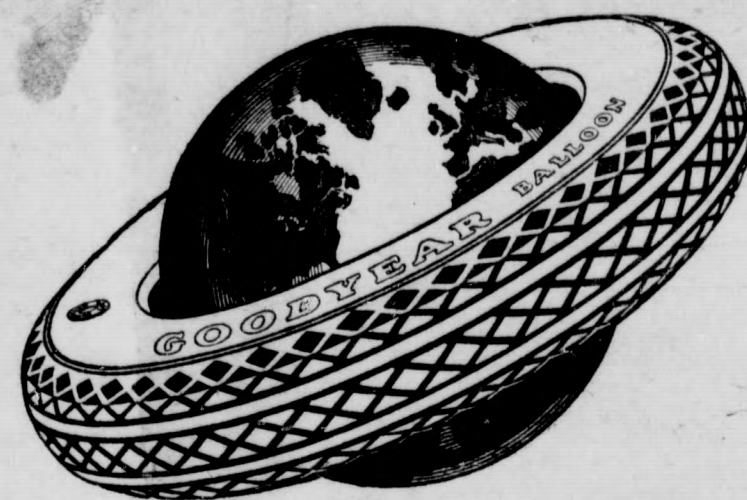
## WALTER KOHMANN DIES AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

It was with deep sorrow the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kohmann, of Bellevue avenue, learned of the death of their son Walter on Sunday morning.

Walter, who was a pupil in Miss Subers' Seventh grade of the Crocker school, attended school on Thursday of last week, but on Friday was unable to go to school, complaining of a pain in his side, and on Sunday morning he passed away from an attack of appendicitis, after being taken to the hospital.

Walter was a native of San Francisco, 13 year of age, the son of Walter and Azilda Kohmann and brother of Margaret, Azilda and Raymond Kohmann.

The funeral was held on Tuesday morning at 9:15 from the mortuary chapel of W. C. Lasswell & Co., 6154 Mission street, thence to St. Maximus church, where a requiem high mass was celebrated for the repose of his soul. Interment was at Holy Cross cemetery.



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Following the business session of San Mateo Typographical Union No. 624, last Monday night, the members adjourned to the Delice Ann, San Mateo, where they enjoyed a chicken dinner and smoker. An educational motion picture was presented during the evening through the courtesy of the Intertype Corporation, and other entertainment provided for the typos. President Ed Snyder acted as toastmaster and short talks were made by several of the twenty-five members present.

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stant from me."

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ing!"

"Much too tolerant of Marvin's

—St. George grumbled.

## SPLINTERS

From the H. H. Smith Lumber Yard

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A young girl had been given several parties by a friend of her family. Learning that it was his birthday, she said: "Uncle John, if you like, I'll give you a kiss for each year."

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Eph: "Boy, lean yo' haid obah heah an' lemme bust yo' nozle wide open. Ah's jes' spoiling fo' a fight."

Rufe: "Yo' isn't spoilin', but e'n Ah hits yo', yo' will suah spoil."

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